

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
BILLINGS DIVISION

LESLIE B. RIFE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

SIGNAL PEAK ENERGY, LLC, *its owners and affiliates*, and JOHN DOE CORPORATIONS A-Z,

Defendants.

CV-18-43-BLG-SPW-TJC

ORDER

Consent to the jurisdiction of a United States Magistrate Judge having been either withheld or met with objection,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. The case remains assigned to the Honorable Susan P. Watters, United States District Judge, for all further proceedings and entry of judgment.
2. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §636(b)(1)(B), the case is referred to the Honorable Timothy J. Cavan, United States Magistrate Judge, who will conduct all necessary hearings and submit to the undersigned proposed findings of fact and recommendations for the disposition of all motions excepted from the Magistrate Judge's jurisdiction by 28 U.S.C. §636(b)(1)(A).

3. The Clerk of Court is directed to forthwith notify the parties of the making of this Order.

DATED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018.

  
Susan P. Watters  
SUSAN P. WATTERS  
United States District Judge